DMS 206: Patient Care in Sonography

This course introduces the student to fundamental patient care procedures commonly expected of medical imaging professionals. Basic nursing skills essential to the sonographer will be emphasized. Topics covered include communication strategies specific to medical imaging, patient handling techniques, infection control, medical histories and records documentation, and emergency patient care procedures. Students will develop an understanding and appreciation of the vital role the sonographer plays as a member of the health team and the professional standards of conduct expected.

Credits 2

Prerequisites

All previously required and concurrent courses per the academic plan or with consent of the faculty.